

## TO-DAY'S NEWS IN BRIEF.

## BUSINESS.

Local discount rates were quoted at 5 to 7 per cent on call and time loans. The clearinghouse exchange was quoted as follows: New York at 20 discount bid, 20 discount asked; Chicago, 40 discount bid, 20 discount asked; Cincinnati, 40 discount bid, 20 discount asked; St. Louis, 20 discount bid, 20 discount asked; Louisville, 40 discount bid, 20 discount asked.

The local market for wheat closed higher at 85c bid, 85c asked, 85c bid, 85c asked. Corn closed lower at 25c bid, 25c asked, 25c bid, 25c asked. Oats closed at 25c bid, 25c asked, 25c bid, 25c asked.

The local spot cotton markets closed quiet.

## WASHINGTON.

Under the banking law passed by the last Congress a decided impetus was given to the organization of national banks. The West leads in number of new institutions, Oklahoma alone being credited with four.

The Treasury Department issues a statement on the national finances, which is strongly illustrative of the development of the United States since 1892.

Reports to the Comptroller show the condition of the national banks of St. Louis July 15.

The Interior Department announces the reservations selected for townships in the Indian Territory.

Governor McMillen announces that he will not be a candidate for re-election to the governorship of Tennessee. It is supposed he may be a candidate for the United States Senate.

## LOCAL AND SUBURBAN.

Unsettled and cloudy weather for St. Louis and vicinity is predicted.

John H. Lattimore is celebrating the finale of a two months' glorious time at the Four Courts.

John Powers protests against the location of a negro school on land adjoining his property, and offers to exchange lots with the Board of Education.

High prices are demanded at Union Market for vegetables and fruits which are far below the quality shown in ordinary years.

Jewels valued at \$300 disappear from the room of Miss Jessie Timney, in a fashionable boarding-house, but some of them are recovered.

Alexander Knapp, aged 50, who was well known among the boss painters of St. Louis, is dead.

The Fresh-Air Mission gives the largest of its excursions for the summer on board the steamer City of Providence.

Commodore Stevens of Chicago confers with World's Fair management concerning a display of photographic art at the Exposition.

The City Council sends the garbage bill to engrossment with several important amendments.

## GENERAL DOMESTIC.

A Murphysboro man, who reported having been stabbed by men whom he had detected in placing obstructions on a railroad track, is himself arrested on a charge of attempting to wreck a train.

Macon's pretty little romance, in which a husband willing to let his wife that she might join a former lover, has been shattered by the "injured husband" leaving to rejoin the woman. He had received thirty-five offers of marriage since his wife went away.

James Jones, Jr., son of the noted bandit of that name, will engage in the pawnbroker's business in Kansas City. The young man has made a fortune in the last few years in the city of Topeka.

Ex-Corn King Phillips hopes to resume business within the next few days. He has started collectors out after \$100,000, which he claims to have from customers.

Another half of Texas' cotton-growing tract gets heavy rains. More is needed to insure a normal crop of cotton.

Coroner Doyle of St. Joseph fired upon by coachman as he was making a social call at the home of ex-Congressman Burnes.

Senator Cullum predicts that the coming Congress will not attempt any general tariff legislation.

The old exhibition building at Kansas City, erected during the boom days, was destroyed by fire yesterday.

Vice President Roosevelt is hunting coyotes in Colorado.

Invitation to a wedding found among the effects of a woman who killed herself cleared up her history and identity.

Missouri farmer dependent of damage to crops by drought cuts his throat.

Unattached companies of Missouri militia have gone into camp at Dexter for nine days.

Delegates from Sedalia will support A. A. Leasure and Harvey Salmon for Major General Commander of the Confederate Veterans.

The Government's report shows the average condition of the wheat crop in the United States as being 77.2, a decline of four points in a month.

D. E. Smeltzer of Missouri, known as the "Celery King," is lying critically ill in a California hospital.

Judge Clinton N. Steery, general attorney for the Santa Fe system west of Albuquerque, is dangerously ill in a Los Angeles hospital.

One of a fishing-sloop crew drowned by boat being capsized by squall.

Archbishop Ireland discredits story that he is to be made cardinal, together with Archbishop Corrigan.

## PROFESSOR IVES CHOSEN DIRECTOR OF FINE ARTS.

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Chicago the art display was valued conservatively at \$28,000,000, and ours will out-value this.

The Committee on Fine Arts will, for the protection of its trust, make special recommendations to the Commission of Architects as to the art gallery, and the agents who go abroad will carry with them full information regarding these protections for the information of exhibitors.

Professor Ives has been a resident of St. Louis since 1872. He was a member of the City Council until last April, presiding over the Railroad Committee and serving effectively on the Hospital Commission, which drew up the plans on which St. Louis's new City Hospital is to be built.

## INJUNCTION SUIT WILL BE HEARD TO-DAY.

The suit to restrain the use of Forest Park as the site for the World's Fair will be heard this morning at 10 o'clock in the division of the Circuit Court presided over by Judge Zachritz. The World's Fair Directors have manifested considerable interest in the suit, and it is believed a large number will be present.

James L. Blair, general counsel, will represent the Exposition Company. The hearing will be on the demurrer filed by Attorney Blair to the petition for an injunction. Judge Zachritz has already announced that he will take the case under advisement and give his decision next Monday.

"While little attention is felt as to the outcome of the litigation," says a Director, "the suit is creating great delay and trouble, in that we cannot without virtual contempt to the court, proceed with any work that takes Forest Park as the site. This work is the adoption of the plans of the architects, the securing of the surrounding property by gift or condemnation, or the assignment of the sites for the United States Government building, or for the Missouri Commission building, or for whom are clamoring for such assignment."

## MISSOURI COMMISSION.

Chairman M. T. Davis of the Executive Board of the Missouri World's Fair Commission, and Judge H. C. McDougall, member of the Board, reached St. Louis yesterday.

We expected to find out at this meeting where our site would be located," says Chairman Davis. "We, however, find that the injunction suit has made it impossible to assign the site. For that reason the Executive Board will have little to do at this meeting."

"We shall not select our Corresponding Secretary at this meeting. We had expected that Governor Dockery would be in St. Louis for the present meeting of the Board, but I doubt that he will come, as he has not wired me."

Chairman Davis expects the other members of the Board to reach St. Louis this morning.

It is likely that architects for the Missouri building will be canvassed at this meeting. It is not impossible that some of the members of the World's Fair Commission of Architects will be enlisted in the work.

## COLORADO INTERESTED IN THE WORLD'S FAIR.

President Francis yesterday received the

following dispatch from Director George L. Edwards, who represented the Louisiana Purchase Company at the Denver celebration last week:

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## TYPING MACHINES TO BE SELECTED.

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"The best plan would be for the World's Fair Company to rent its machines," said one of the agents. "The Fair Company will need probably 100 a year from now the number will have to be raised to 150. In Chicago 200 were used during the maximum season of business and in St. Louis we will use at least that number, as less time is available to produce a greater result. If the machines are bought outright there will be a considerable loss, because the old machines will have to be sold practically as junk at the end of the Exposition."

The prices quoted by the agents for the rent of machines was \$3 a month. The committee has not yet reached a decision.

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## SOCIETY LADIES

Use Pe-ru-na for Catarrhal Derangements.



Miss Helen Murphy, a popular society woman of Oshkosh, Wis., is an ardent friend to Pe-ru-na. She writes as follows of Pe-ru-na:

"About three months ago I contracted a severe cold at an evening reception, which settled on my lungs and threatened to be very serious. As my mother had used Pe-ru-na with good results, she sent for a bottle for me and I found that it gave me blessed relief. Before the second bottle was consumed I was well."

Mrs. C. H. Buck, 223 Douglas street, Omaha, Neb., writes:

"I have used Pe-ru-na and can cheerfully recommend it as being the best remedy for catarrh and general debility that I have ever used."

Miss Lillian Reinhold of the Chicago Germania Club, Chicago, Ill., writes:

"Last winter my nervous system became so overtaxed from constant overwork with my violin that my right side seemed partially paralyzed."

"After giving me a couple of prescriptions without effect, my physician advised me to try Pe-ru-na, which effected a speedy and permanent cure."

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## BIG FOUR

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Buffalo, N.Y. 8:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 9:00 p.m.

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Boston, Mass. 8:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 9:00 p.m.

For particulars and particulars Big Four Ticket Office, Broadway and Chestnut Sts., or address C. L. Hillery, A. G. P. A., St. Louis.

Invitation Found Among Effects of Woman Who Killed Herself, Clears Up Her Identity.

Quincy, Ill., Aug. 5.—The finding of an invitation to the wedding here in 1881 of Lyman McCall and Hannah Bertram among the effects of Mrs. Anna H. McKinney, who committed suicide at the Coby Hotel, Kansas City, on Saturday, has led to the identity of the woman.

Lyman McCall, an attorney, was shown the facts, as given, concerning the death of the woman who had one of his wedding invitations among her private effects, and through him nearly all that was accounted as mysterious or unexplained was unraveled.

The dead woman was a daughter of Isaac and Anna Park, formerly of Shelbyville, Ill. The family was a prominent one. Her father died a good many years ago, and later the mother went to Dallas, Tex., and made her home with her mother, Mrs. John W. Park, who died about six years ago.

Mrs. Parkella Nance of this city was an aunt of the woman who just died, and Mrs. E. F. Herrin, Mrs. Thad Rogers and R. W. Nance, all prominent of this city, are cousins. The mother of the woman was known as a smart and educated girl of excellent character. Explanation is also made concerning her change of name.

Under an Assumed Name.

Less than two years ago she wrote to Quincy relatives, asking for an advance of several hundred dollars in money. She said that she was engaged in subscription book business and needed more money for John W. Park, who was a prominent man in Dallas, and that she had to travel a good deal, and that this did not seem to her to be a very profitable business.

She sought school in Shelby County for some time and bore a splendid reputation. Besides her brother at Dallas she has a sister at Pleasant Plain in this State named Julia Sumner.

The man from whom the letters came that were found in the woman's baggage, the Reverend Jasper N. Doughty, pastor of a Unitarian church at Shelbyville, and editor of a paper, had made her home at his residence for a time, and he was a second father to her.

REUNION OF WELLS FAMILY.

Annual Gathering of Prominent Illinoisans Near Mount Vernon.

Mount Vernon, Aug. 5.—The annual reunion of the Wells family, one of the oldest in this section of the State, was held today at Hickory Hill, near Mount Vernon, seven miles southwest of this city.

The members of the family live chiefly in the counties of Jefferson and Marion, and are scattered elsewhere in Illinois and Missouri. The family included ex-Mayor R. W. Wells of this city, ex-Mayor R. C. Wells, Captain S. T. Moxey, Judge H. M. Partridge, John W. Wells, the Reverend J. S. Babbitt, Captain John R. Moss, G. G. Dalby and other prominent citizens of this city and vicinity.

Address of an historical and reminiscence character were given by Sheriff H. Wells of Marion County, State Attorney Duff Wells of this city, ex-Mayor R. C. Wells, Captain S. T. Moxey, Judge H. M. Partridge, John W. Wells, the Reverend J. S. Babbitt, Captain John R. Moss, G. G. Dalby and other prominent citizens of this city and vicinity.

MINISTER COMMITS SUICIDE.

The Rev. James M. Frazier Throws Himself in Ohio River.

Padenburg, Ky., Aug. 5.—Rev. J. M. Frazier, a Presbyterian minister, committed suicide last night by drowning in the Ohio River here. His body was recovered floating about one-half mile below the city today.

"Do you think the reorganizers will control the Democratic Convention in 1907?" he was asked.

"I think they will dictate the platform and the issues," he said. "I do not mean that as a part of the money question, is a dead issue, but that it will be merged into the greater question—the money issue. That may not be the issue in 1907, but it will come to be the issue, as all parties will recognize."

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Soothes and strengthens the nerves, gives restful sleep, perfect digestion and a good appetite. Nourishes and invigorates the entire system.

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Want your complexion to be as beautiful as a rose? Use BUCKINGHAM'S DYE FOR THE SKIN.

It is the best and most reliable skin dye ever made. It gives the complexion a natural, healthy, and beautiful color. It is sold by all druggists and is the only one that does not irrit